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VILLA DECLARES HIMSELF DICTATOR OF MEXICO.

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But the Coalition Still Holds.

Senate Majority Hopelessly Split on Programme of the Ship Purchase Bill.

Eleventh-hour Efforts to be Made to Haul Measure Out of the Fire.

Democrats Who Kicked Over the Traces Excoriated by Master Orators.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Plans of administration Democrats to save the government ship-purchase bill went awry today in the Senate, but champions of the measure had not abandoned hope of success in an effort to recommit the bill with definite instructions for its amendment.

The revolting Democrats flatly refused to accept the concessions of the majority agreed upon in the secret caucus last night, and the majority leaders discovered early in the day that they could not muster enough votes for their programme to defeat the coalition of Republicans and independent Democrats seeking to send the bill to committee without instructions, to be pigeonholed for the session. The party leaders determined to hold off the vote and agreed in the meantime to castigate openly the seven

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HEAVY LOSS BY FLOOD.

Bursting Water Main Fills Many Cellars in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The damage done by the bursting of a water main at Forty-second street and Eighth avenue last night was estimated today at \$100,000, almost all of which was due to the flooding of cellars for several blocks along Eighth avenue. The torrent of water in some places reached a depth of two feet. After the water had been turned off in six mains the break was believed to be in either a thirty-inch or a sixty-inch main.

SOCIALISTS DROP LIEBKNECHT.

HE WAS THE ONLY DEPUTY TO VOTE AGAINST THE WAR CREDIT.

BERLIN, Feb. 3 (via Amsterdam and London).—Dr. Karl Liebknecht was virtually read out of the Socialist party tonight in a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Social Democrat members of the Reichstag. This resolution reads:

"The Socialist party strongly condemns Karl Liebknecht's breach of discipline and it repudiates the misleading information he has spread concerning proceedings within the party. The party is determined it shall vote as a unit in the Reichstag. If any Deputy is unable conscientiously to participate in the voting he may abstain, but he must not give his assistance to the character of a demonstration."

Liebknecht's action on December 10 in voting against the new war credit brought out many expressions of disapproval in Socialist party circles. The Socialist Deputy was the only member of the Reichstag who did not vote for the war credit.

WARNING TO ITALY.

Berlin Measures to Intimidate Rome.

Invasion of Trent Means a War with Both Germany and Austria.

Russians Penetrate Farther into East Prussia and Galicia.

Military Men Amazed by the Persistence of Campaign Against Warsaw.

LONDON, Feb. 3, 9:30 p.m.—A wireless dispatch from Berlin says the Berliner Tageblatt reports from Constantinople that Greece is industriously making mobilization preparations and continuing the fortification of her frontier.

LONDON, Feb. 3.—A Daily News dispatch from Rome says: The Neue Freie Presse publishes an article by Count Anton von Monts, former German Ambassador in Rome, affirming that in case Italy attempts an invasion of Trent, Germany is prepared to defend Austria and that therefore Italy must wage war against both Austria and Germany. Von Monts draws the conclusion that Italy is unable to afford war. It is said that the article was inspired by the German Foreign Office and is principally intended to intimidate Italy, but also prompted by the refusal of Emperor Francis Joseph to cede Trentino to Italy with the object of averting intervention as suggested by Prince Buelow.

The Man Who Changed His Mind.



Gen. Francisco Villa, Mexican rebel leader of the North, the victor of Torreón, who, after avowing and asseverating a number of times that he did not aspire to become ruler of Mexico, has declared himself dictator in the announcement made last night that he "had assumed control of the Presidency of Mexico." Villa has named three Ministers of State to administer the civil government.

SMALL INVESTORS FORCED OUT OF WHEAT MARKET.

Brokers Raise Margins in Effort to Compel Drop in Values—Bakers Declare Present Prices are Fictitious and that There is no Danger of a Shortage Occurring Before the New Crop is Harvested.

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 3.—Speculation in wheat in New York was announced by brokers to have gone to such unprecedented lengths that drastic measures hitherto unknown were adopted today to force liquidation of accounts.

Walters, nurse girls, laborers and men and women of all grades of financial position were asserted to have "started with a shoestring" and to have run up grain accounts that now show profits running from hundreds to thousands of dollars.

In order to force their customers to liquidate many commission houses sent notice yesterday to all clients that their accounts must either be margin up to 50 cents a bushel or they will be closed out. This stringent requirement is expected to drive from the market many thousands of small operators who have not capital to furnish such unusual margins.

Rumors that the Dardanelles blockade, which is damming back 150,000,000 bushels of Russian wheat destined for Europe, had been broken, resulted in fluctuations and excitement on the Consolidated Exchange and the Produce Exchange such as the oldest brokers could not recall.

The first price of the day on the Consolidated Exchange was 1.71½ as compared with a closing price of 1.74 Tuesday. A few seconds after the opening the price for May wheat dropped to 1.66½, but in an incredible short time it had again risen to 1.74. At the latter price heavy selling was encountered, and thence to the close of the day the price declined steadily, though there were many large fluctuations on the way down.

In the Carpathians the Austrians and Germans are offering vigorous resistance to the Russian advance and a decision has been reached in the battle which has been in progress there for some days.

The statement in the official report that there has been fighting to the southeast of Uzkol Pass in the interior of Dukla Pass and to the south-east of Beskid Pass, indicates the extent of the struggle for the possession of these important strategic points.

The attempt of a German submarine, an officially reported, to torpedo the British hospital ship Asturias, has attracted a great deal of attention in England, where it is strongly condemned.

There has been another skirmish between the British and Turkish scouts east of the Suez Canal, near Ismailia. The Turks were driven off with some loss, and the British had six men wounded. The opinion still prevails in London that the Turks will not attempt to cross the desert with a large force, and that the present pin pricks were arranged only to commit the British to keep troops in Egypt instead of sending them to France.

NAMES THREE MINISTERS TO GOVERN THE STATE.

Eleventh Hour Coup d'Etat is Executed by Rebel Leader of the North.

Victor of Torreón Sends a Telegram to His Agents on the International Border that He Has Assumed Complete Control of the Presidency—Carranza Establishes a Blockade of Code Telegrams.

EL PASO (Tex.) Feb. 3.—Francisco Villa has proclaimed himself in charge of the Presidency of Mexico. This was announced in a telegram from Gen. Villa received tonight by his agents here. Villa appointed three ministers to take charge of the civil government.

EL PASO (Tex.) Feb. 3.—Gen. Villa by his act tonight in declaring himself President of Mexico becomes the tenth man to assume the provisional presidency of Mexico since the downfall of the Diaz dictatorship in 1911. He gave as his reason for assuming the office that his force had been separated from the convention government headed by Roque Gonzales Garza, as provisional President, who left with the Zapata forces when they departed south from Mexico City at its occupation recently by Obregon's Carranza troops. Villa telegraphed from Aguascalientes under date of today the following:

"Telegraphic communication having been cut off between the convention government and the division under my command, and as public service can not be interrupted in the extensive zone which I control, I have found myself compelled to assume the political authority, creating three political administrative departments; the foreign affairs and justice department in charge of Attorney M. Diaz Lombardo; state and communications, Gen. Luis de la Garza Cardenas; treasury and industry, Attorney Francisco Escudero."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Scarcity of food in Mexico City and predictions that much suffering would follow unless conditions were relieved were reported today in official dispatches to the State Department.

The Carranza officials are moving their records to Vera Cruz, where it is supposed the capital of the Carranza government will remain.

Much anxiety was manifested here by members of the diplomatic corps over conditions in Mexico City because of the ban on cipher communication which had been placed by Carranza authorities. Local telegraph officers said the Carranza government in Mexico City had notified them not to accept messages in code from foreign governments except at the sender's risk and subject to interruption.

This is the first time, it is said, that the foreign diplomats have had serious difficulty in reaching their legations in Mexico City. State Department officials are getting their telegrams but with much delay.

Alonso Arredondo, head of the local Constitutional agency, made public tonight the following report from Vera Cruz:

"Gen. Pablo Gonzales reports the capture of Cadereyta in the State of Nuevo Leon, fifteen miles east of Monterrey. The Villa forces were decisively defeated and suffered heavy losses."

"Between Montemorelos and Linares, Gen. Marino Sanval, commanding a Villa army, was overwhelmed and forced to retreat to the north."

"Tomorrow (Thursday) railroad traffic will be resumed between this place and Mexico City. On account of the scarcity of food in the capital, the Vera Cruz Chamber of Commerce has arranged to send supplies there by the first train."

CARRANZA ARMY AGAIN ROUTED.

EL PASO, Feb. 3.—Following their defeat at San Luis Potosi, the Carranza troops again were routed yesterday south of that place, according to official Villa advices received here today. It was stated that the Villa column under Gen. Banda utterly routed the retreating Carranza forces of Gen. Benavides, capturing all their artillery and supply trains and many prisoners.

VILLA FORCES TAKE ACAPONETA.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 3.—A radiogram to Rear-Admiral Howard, on board the flagship San Diego here, received today from Mazatlan, reported that Gen. Iturbide, a Villa partisan, stormed Acaponeta last Monday, after seven hours of fighting, and captured sixty prisoners. His own wounded are being transported to Mazatlan.

The cruiser San Diego left here today for Ensenada, to investigate conditions there.

AMERICANS IN MEXICO ASK AID FOR DESTITUTE.

BY GEORGE ADDISON HUGHES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.—Twenty-five Americans have appealed to the State Department at Washington through the Brazilian Minister for immediate aid. Americans here, in an effort to avert requesting any assistance from Washington, have been supporting not only their own families but from one to four penniless fellow-citizens.

Circumstances, however, prevent them giving further material assistance. Appeals made to European governments by their nationals here have received prompt response, and it is believed that Washington will be compelled by public opinion to furnish destitute Americans here with immediate necessities and transportation home.

ARCHDUKE'S ASSASSINS EXECUTED IN BOSNIA.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 3.—(via London, Feb. 4.)—A Berlin dispatch received here says that the execution of three of the conspirators in the assassination of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent to the Austrian throne, took place on Wednesday in the prison of the court fortress at Sarajevo, Bosnia. The men put to death were Veljko Curbilovic, Misko Jovanovic and Danilo Ilic. Two others who had been found guilty of high treason and sentenced later were commuted to imprisonment for life and for twenty years, respectively.

Gavril Princip, the Bosnian student, who actually slew the Archduke and his morganatic wife, while they were visiting Sarajevo, is undergoing a sentence of twenty years' imprisonment, it having been impossible, on account of his youth, to sentence him to death.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Villa Declares Himself Dictator of Mexico. (2) German Warning to Italy. (3) President Wilson's Address to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. (4) The Price of Wheat. (5) Congress and the Ship Purchase Bill. (6) The Death of Alban J. Cant. (7) Los Angeles County Leads in the Record of Marriages in California.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity 14 miles. Thermometer, highest, 58 deg.; lowest, 41 deg. Forecast: Fair Thursday, with frost in the morning. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. The pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, South, said he will denounce the pulpits, used by deception, was declared, to disseminate the tattered Russell creed.

It was charged seven men were in an alleged Mexican conspiracy to violate neutrality, and six arrests, including Aviles, have been made.

A famed jail "trustee" escaped but was captured when his trousers caught on a wire and he suspended him twenty feet up in midair.

Head of more ships to handle the traffic of this coast was urged in a statement by the acting traffic manager of the port.

San Diego "jitter" has owners' agents to their brethren here for help to regulate and predict extermination of their business.

A great demand almost exhausted the supply available of Daddy Long-Legs sold for the benefit of orphans.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. St. prize debutante is visiting Pasadena.

A Santa Ana jury ruled against bed-

Editorial Note: War-news headlines are constructed, as nearly as may be in the space available, to reflect the text of the several news reports, not the editorial of this Times.

Washington.
**GOOD PRICES
ON INCREASE**

**Tendency Toward a Decrease
ended When War Began.**

Bureau of Labor Statistics, told
 cent Wilson today that details
 not be carried into effect unless
 appropriated \$10,000.

Meeker told the President that census of unemployed in New York was being carried on by the labor and charity organizations employers, but that no accurate could be stated yet. He added it would be impossible to make complete census, but that a thor-

estimate could be made. Report on food prices during the war in the United States now un-
 in the bureau, shows that a decrease was noticeable before outbreak of the European war, that has been overcome since.

**POPS QUELL
 BREAD RIOTERS.**

ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
 (Italy) Feb. 2.—Riots out of the agitation came the

rice of bread are assuming a character. Crowds went about sets today sacking the stores. reinforcements of troops have

LIAN PEASANTS
WORK IN GERMANY.

Many Italian peasants, both men and women, are going to Germany to engage in farm and factory work in response to offers of unusual wages. For the men 6 marks (\$1.62 a day) is promised and for women 3 marks (\$0.75).

Some newspapers are warning the government against accepting this emigration in view of the uncertainty of Italy's foreign policy, but many unemployed persons are flocking to Germany.

LAKE TROUBLE F REFUSED FOOD.

FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—At the Board of Supervisors is on having appropriated \$10,000 relief of the unemployed, 500 families were turned away at work today from the of the Citizens' Commit-

an. the men said they would house-to-house canvass for conscription, and, if that failed, a demonstration.

Citizens' Committee has run funds, and the Supervisors' apportion will not become available formal measures, has not

**BAKING
SMALL LOAVES.**

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)
LAKE CITY, Feb. 3.—Salt
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FURNISHED VISITORS.
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Kitchin, who is slated for city leadership to succeed Woodward, who will be a Senator from Alabama after March 4, will be the party.

include San Bernardino, Riverside, Santa Ana, Los Angeles and probably some other cities in the Southland.

ATTENTION BILL DEBATE.

cleared in House for Attorney General's review.

Measure Over Veto of the
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BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NGTON, Feb. 3.—Decks
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With its literacy test provisions of the measure were that would fail by twenty votes the two-thirds necessary to the veto.

Representative Gardner made a play urging the House to pass over the veto.

SHIPPING BILL.
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ture Wilson They are with
Pet Plan.
BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ship purchase bill and the
its legislation was given to
Wilson today by representa-
the National Grange, the Na-
tional Association, the Farmers'
and the National Rural
League, who called at the

WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH!
WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE
Feb. 3.—The House has
item carrying \$50,000 for
tankage of Gasoline and

ed that this item will re-
e bill as finally passed.

FOOD PRICES ON INCREASE
Tendency Toward a Decrease Ended When War Began.
Lack of Funds Halts the Census of Unemployed.
Troops Called Out in Italy to Quell Bread Riots.
BREAD RIOTERS.
ITALIAN PEASANTS WORK IN GERMANY.
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BAKING SMALL LOAVES.
DISGRACED VISITORS.
CLEANED IN HOUSE FOR ATTEMPT TO PASS MEASURE OVER VETO OF THE SENATE.
SHIPPING BILL.
FALLING OFF OF MILLION DOLLARS REPORTED IN JANUARY THIS YEAR FROM CORRESPONDING MONTH, LAST.
NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Importation of precious stones for January was nearly \$1,000,000 less than in the same month last year and more than \$2,000,000 less than in January, 1913, according to a statement made public at the office of the United States appraiser of merchandise.

MAY STOP EXPORTS OF WAR SUPPLIES.
BILL OFFERED IN THE SENATE IS MEETING WITH APPROVAL.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Senator Hitchcock's bill to empower the President to forbid exports of war supplies, was urged before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today by Horace L. Brand and Michael English of Chicago and Representative Bartholdt of Missouri.
Mr. Bartholdt said England has enacted a similar law in 1853 just before the Crimean War and regarded it as a diplomatic matter. Under questioning by Senator Sutherland, he thought the effect of the Hitchcock bill would be to weaken the allies. He cited the biography of Ambassador White at Berlin in 1908 during the American-Spanish war to show Germany's attitude.
It was stated there, he said, a shipload of war materials had left Hamburg for a Spanish port when Mr. White protested and the German government, although it had a clear right to permit such traffic, ordered the ship back to Hamburg to be unloaded.
RURAL CREDIT INQUIRY.
House Banking Committee Decides on Plan for Investigation to Determine Advantages of System.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The House Banking Committee adopted a resolution today for the appointment of a committee of four Senators and five Representatives to investigate rural credits and to report at the next session of Congress. The investigation would relate to personal credits and not land credits. The committee voted down a proposition looking to land credit legislation.
THE COURSE OF BUSINESS.
ITS EAST AND WEST.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Representatives of banks in Nebraska and Wyoming appealed to the Federal Reserve Board today to have those States transferred from the Kansas City Federal reserve district to that of Chicago. In their brief, the bankers declared that more than two thirds of the member banks in those States wanted the change. They argued that the course of business was east and west through their States, and not north and south.
THE WEATHER BACK EAST.
The Storm is Breaking up, but it has Left the Country in a Badly Dilapidated Condition.
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 3.—Chicago's maximum temperature today was 30 deg. and much of the snow disappeared. Nine-teen ships are locked in ice between Chicago and Ludington, Mich. Wires are still down in many directions, but the storm is abating. Snow fell in the Eastern States and Western Canada. Edmonton, in Western Canada, is completely isolated, and parts of Minnesota, the Dakotas and the Mountain States have no wire service. Other temperatures:
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Albino, Tex. 44 24
Boise, Idaho 44 24
Boston, Mass. 18 10
Butte, Mont. 18 10
Calgary, Alberta 24 10
Chicago, Ill. 30 24
Denver, Colo. 48 28
Des Moines, Iowa 28 10
Dodge City, Kan. 22 10
Duluth, Minn. 22 10
Durango, Colo. 32 10
El Paso, Tex. 40 20
Havre, Mont. 26 10
Helena, Mont. 28 10
Huron, S. D. 28 10
Jacksonville, Fla. 44 24
Kamloops, B. C. 34 22
Kansas City, Mo. 38 22
Knoxville, Tenn. 40 22
Memphis, Tenn. 48 28
Minneapolis, Minn. 26 10
Modena, Utah 36 10
Montreal, Quebec 10 2
Moorhead, Minn. 28 10
New Orleans, La. 68 44
New York, N. Y. 26 22
North Platte, Neb. 28 10
Oklahoma City, Okla. 28 10
Pittsburgh, Pa. 24 22
Rapid City, S. D. 54 30
Reno, Nev. 40 20
St. Louis, Mo. 24 10
Salt Lake City, Utah 36 10
Swift Current, Sask. 18 10
Tampa, Fla. 60 30
Washington, D. C. 22 30
Williston, N. D. 22 30
Winnipeg, Man. 26 10
Below zero.

Sixty-third Congress.
(Continued from First Page.)
Democrats who overturned the ship-bill programme last Monday.
Senator Stone of Missouri was selected for this task and he delivered a long speech on the floor of the Senate, bitterly attacking the "reactionary" Democrats who had endeavored to unhorse their party.
He particularly attacked Senator Clarke of Arkansas, whom he described as the leader in the revolt, and Senator Camden of Kentucky, declaring they had entered into a secret agreement with the Republicans to overthrow the ship-bill.
Senator Clarke had violated a caucus pledge, a charge which the Arkansas Senator denied in a vigorous speech, explaining that he had wanted his colleagues to know that he would not be bound by any action which would deprive him of his right to vote against the ship-bill.
Senator Camden also replied, declaring he was willing to let his constituents pass upon his record, and adding that a denunciation of Secretary Wilson in grace from the Senator from Missouri, who is known the world over as "Gumshoe Bill."
FINE WORK OF KERN.
While Senator Stone was speaking, Senators Kern, Simmons, Fletcher, Martin and others were working like Trojans to prevent a vote being taken until some absent Democrats could be present.
The Democrats could not be present because of the ship-bill, which they might not be able to vote against if another filibuster from the Republican side.
In their estimate of the situation tonight the Democrats were confident that Senator Norris would vote for their amendment to the recommitment motion. Senator Kern, whose support they had hoped for, will vote with them, nor will any of the seven insurgent Democrats. Senator La Follette is regarded as certain, however, to vote with the Democrats.
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D. D. D. Soap 20c	Rasall Lotion 25c, 50c	Gossell's Cherry Tooth Paste 40c, 50c
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Fairy Soap 5c, 10c	Mennen's Shaving Cream 15c	Kalyne Tooth Paste 25c
Fels Naphtha Soap 15c	Rasall Shav. Stick 25c	Leslie Cream 15c
Glen's Sulphur 20c	Williams' Cream 25c	Listerine Tooth Pdr. 25c
Ivory Soap 20c	Williams' Powder 25c	Lyon Tooth Pdr. 15c
Jap Rose Soap 8c	Williams' Stick 15c	Lyon's Tooth Paste 15c
Johnson's Foot Soap 20c	Woodbury's Cream 15c	Oraline Tooth Paste 25c
Johnson's Syonol 20c	Strops 25c, 50c, 100c	Pasturine Paste 25c
Lana Oil Soap 10c	"Rubberst" Brushes 25c	Pebeco Paste 35c
Lava Soap 10c	Dur. Duplex 25c, 50c, 100c	Pierre's Dentifrice 75c
Lee's Egg Tar Soap 20c	Ender Razors \$1.00	Red Feather Paste 25c
Malvina Soap 20c	Ever-Ready Razors \$1.00	Rubifac 17c
Packer's Tar Soap 15c	Gem Junior \$1.00	Sanitol Tooth Paste 25c
Pear's Unscented 13c	Pat Stop Razors \$5.00	Santal Tooth Pdr. 25c
Pear's Scented Soap 18c		Sapohol Tooth Pdr. 25c

Toilet Powders
Babcock's Talcum 15c
Creme de Camella 50c
Carmen Face Pdr. 25c
Carmeline, Liquid 35c
Comfort Powder 20c
Colgate's Talc 15c, 25c
Freeman's Face Pdr. 20c
Graham's Face Pdr. 40c
Harmony Rice Pdr. 25c
Hudnut's Violet Talc. 50c
Java Rice Face Pdr. 35c
Djer Kiss Talcum 25c
La Blanche Face Pdr. 35c
Leichner's Face Pdr. 40c
Listerine Talcum 15c
Mary Garden Talc. 50c
Mennen's Talcum 15c
Owl Violet Talcum 25c
Nadinola Face Pdr. 45c
Reynal Face Powder 50c
Red Feather Talc. 15c
Riverside Talc. 25c

Patent Medicines
Alcock's Plasters 15c
Angier's Emulsion 40c
Antiphlogistine 40c, 85c
Ayer's Liver Pills 20c
Bromo Seltzer 20c, 40c
Cascarets 10c, 20c, 40c
Castoria 25c
Dedson's Liver Tonic 45c
Fellows' Syrup 90c
Fulton's Rascal Compound 20c
Gude's Peppermint 85c
Glycythymolins 15c, 35c
Hood's Sarsaparilla 85c
Hunyadi Water 50c
Jayne's Expecterant 25c
Kellogg's Wafers 85c
King's New Life Pills 20c
Listerine 10c, 15c, 34c
Morse's Indian Root 20c
Pills for Rheumatism 20c
Pinkham's Compound 75c
Pinkham's Blood Purifier 85c

Hair Preparations
Buckingham's Dye 40c
Capillary 35c
Colgate's Brilliantine 25c
Damschinsky's Dye 40c
Danderine 15c, 35c, 60c
Fluff Mousse 10c, 40c
Goldman's Hair Restorer 85c
Harmony Shampoo 50c
Harpelle (small) 40c
Hill's Hair Dye 40c
Laurada's Hair Cream 50c
Lannox Hair Tonic 50c
Owl Liquid Shampoo 25c
Pom. Vasoline 10c, 15c
Queen Hair Dye 40c
Rasall Shampoo 25c
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CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Col. Charles Alexander of Providence, R. I., under indictment on a charge of having violated the Mann Act by transporting Miss Jessie Elizabeth Cope of Los Angeles "to Chicago, contrary to the law, will be in Chicago before next Monday, according to Charles F. Clyde, District Attorney.
No steps were taken today to forfeit Col. Alexander's bond, although he was to have appeared here for trial last Monday.
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'ANTI-KAMNIA TABLETS FOR Locomotor Ataxia
In a very interesting article on Locomotor Ataxia, Dr. Henry G. Shores says that drugs have practically no beneficial effect in these cases. He says that rest should be insisted upon, and there should be no worry or troubles. Plenty of fresh air and moderate exercise must be insisted upon, but over-exercising is injurious. The use of tobacco and alcohol should be strictly forbidden. Over-eating is dangerous, especially when the food is poorly masticated. The food must be of the most nourishing kind, and the quantity and variety must be changed so that the patient will not lose his appetite. The most annoying symptom in these cases is the pain, which at times is almost unbearable. Dr. Shores says that he has found Anti-Kamnia Tablets repeated in an hour if necessary, gives prompt relief and is sold to the patient. These Tablets can be used as all druggists in any quantity desired. Ask for A-K Tablets. Also successful for headaches, neuritis, and all pain.
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Using Every Effort to Pass Non-partisan Bill. Young to be Floor Leader to Secure its Adoption.

Senator they would be marched up in blocks of ten to get Republican ballots, but if the pickings were richest in the Democratic camp they would draw Democratic ballots. For years Conkling's Democratic machine controlled the Republican primaries in the Sixth Ward, just as Savage did in the Eighth.

THE VICIOUS FEATURE. Under the Young bill this vicious feature of picking your party when you draw your ticket is brought back. It was this provision in the old New York election laws that gave Tammany Hall its first stranglehold on New York City politics. It has been washed out of almost every State in the Union by popular reform waves; yet for the sake of patronage it is now brought forth again in California and offered under the guise of reform.

REPUBLICS HAVE PROBABLY SHORT memories. The Johnson-Flinn machine is figuring the voters of California will not recognize this vicious machine chief-d'œuvre if they but may grace as apostles of reform before placing it on the table. It may be interesting to Los Angeles voters to know that cutting out the stating of party affiliations at the time of registering is one of the planks demanded by the San Francisco delegation as the price of its support.

ON ITS FACE this would seem to have nothing to do with the non-partisan plan, as it applies only to national politics, but it is a very valuable aid to a corrupt political boss. By this the machine crew of renegade Republicans and Democrats alike and gives his orders the night before the primary. They take the party ticket he directs and in this way he puts through his slate for every office from United States Senator to township justice. To the walking delegates who herd the members of their unions like so many flocks of sheep this is a delectable morsel, indeed.

STATE HIGHWAY IN SAN JOAQUIN. ROAD FROM BAKERSFIELD TO SACRAMENTO IS OPEN FOR TRAVEL.

IT A. P. NIGHT WIRE. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—The \$18,000,000 State highway system, as reported today by the Highway Commission, shows 1068.5 miles completed or in process of construction, and 2158 miles of finished surveys.

THIS MILEAGE INCLUDES 685.5 miles of concrete, from twelve to twenty-four feet wide, according to traffic demands, supplemented by macadam shoulders giving a minimum width of eighteen and a maximum width of thirty feet. The rate at which concrete construction is advancing is shown in the purchase of cement. In 1914 the commission bought 572,066 barrels, as against 122,955 in 1912.

WITH THE EXCEPTION of Tulare county, the paved roadways including those built by San Joaquin and Sacramento counties, which are to be incorporated into the State system now lead through virtually the entire San Joaquin Valley from Bakersfield to Sacramento.

THIS WINTER the commission is centering its attention on laterals, tapping county seats not directly on the main line. Surveys have been made of 95 per cent of the trunk line system.

OREGON KILLS ANTI-ALIEN BILL. CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT IS VOTED DOWN UNANIMOUSLY IN THE HOUSE.

IT A. P. NIGHT WIRE. SALEM (Or.), Feb. 3.—By an almost unanimous vote, the Oregon House of Representatives defeated today a resolution providing that there be submitted to a vote of the people a constitutional amendment making it unlawful for aliens to own land in the State. The House killed another bill providing for submission to the voters of an amendment repealing a constitutional provision giving white foreigners the same rights with regard to property as native-born citizens.

NOT QUITE THIRTY DOLLARS. This is all that is found in the vaults of the Bowie Bank by State Officials After Cashier Left.

IT A. P. NIGHT WIRE. PHOENIX (Ariz.), Feb. 2.—Less than \$30 in small change was found in the safe of the Bowie Bank and Trust Company of Bowie today, when the State officials got the door open. G. J. Armstrong, president and cashier, locked the safe and disappeared several days ago. It is believed he fled east over the New Mexican border. His brother, W. D. Armstrong, was arrested on suspicion today when he attempted to board a train at San Simon, a few miles from Bowie. The bank's shortage is estimated at \$5000.

NEVADA'S DIVORCE LAW. Bill Establishing Six Months' Residence is Passed by the Assembly at Carson City.

IT A. P. DAY WIRE. CARSON CITY (Nev.), Feb. 3.—The bill establishing a six months' residence for divorce was passed by the Assembly this afternoon, 40 to 12. By a vote of 14 to 8, the Senate passed the bill by Houl of Clark county creating a Racing Commission and amending the anti-gambling law so as to permit of betting on horse races by the pari-mutuel system.

Off to the Fair—See the San Diego Exposition now. Join The Times party which leaves Saturday next. Ten dollars covers your railroad fare, meals Saturday and Sunday, room at hotel over night, admissions to the Fair grounds, and a boat ride Sunday morning. Cheaper than staying home.

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ESPEE PLANNING WATER TERMINAL. NEW DEEP WATERWAY TO BE CONSTRUCTED SOON IN SAN FRANCISCO.

IT DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH. SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 3.—That the Southern Pacific is preparing to carry out the plan for a deep-water terminal at Channel street, where the largest ocean carriers may discharge their cargoes alongside the company's freight tracks and warehouses, is the information which has leaked out from various sources.

"THE CHANNEL" at the present time is neither good dry land nor clean deep water. It looks like a bubbling mud bank, smells like a sewer and is officially called a "street." The plan is to make it a deep waterway, 200 feet wide between bulkheads, and with a depth of thirty feet at low tide. The estimated cost of the entire work, including bulkheads, dredging, bridges and new tracks and warehouses, is from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000. Liners from the Orient and from Europe by way of the Panama Canal would be able to tie up alongside the railroad terminal yards, and the facilities for the economic transfer of freight on a large scale would be provided to an extent which would rival the Bush terminals in New York.

BIG MERGER IN INSURANCE. MOVEMENT REPORTED ON FOOT TO COMBINE THREE LARGE COMPANIES.

IT DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH. SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 3.—It was reported today on good authority that a movement was on foot to merge the Western Life Insurance Company, the San Francisco Life Insurance Company and the California State Life Insurance Company. The first two have their headquarters in this city, while the head offices of the latter are in Sacramento.

THE WESTERN STATES was organized in 1909, with \$1,000,000 capital stock, authorized and issued, of the par value of \$10 a share. The San Francisco Life Insurance Company was incorporated in 1911 with a capital stock of \$250,000. According to its latest statement its ledger asset amounted to \$573,670. The California State Life Insurance Company was incorporated in 1910 for \$500,000.

JOHN D. SPRECKELS, JR., whom he was impersonating, had him arrested and in court today he confessed, and on his promise to curb his imagination, was released in the custody of a probation officer. Spreckels did not press the charge.

STATE TO LOSE TERMINALS. Opening of the Panama Canal Leaves Only Six Tariff Stations in the Whole of California.

IT A. P. NIGHT WIRE. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—California will lose 182 railroad terminals by reason of the Panama Canal, said Seth Mann, transportation rate expert, today.

IN THE NEAR future, he said, the only terminals in the State will be San Diego, San Pedro, Wilmington, East Wilmington, San Francisco and Oakland.

UNTIL recently the ocean steamers absorbed in their freight rates the charges from their ports in California to the interior terminals, but now, said Mann, the charge is made from ship's tackle to ship's tackle—from the wharf where they load the freight to the wharf where they discharge it with no rates including the rail haul.

UNWRITTEN LAW FAILS. Pius in Murder Trial at Hedding Unavailing, Manslaughter Verdict is Returned.

IT A. P. DAY WIRE. REDDING, Feb. 3.—The unwritten law did not save Charles Lee Allison of Westwood, Lassen county, charged with the murder here on October 21 of Charles O'Connor, a Green River, Plumas county. After being out eighteen hours in which ten ballots were taken, the jury today returned a verdict of manslaughter.

ALLISON killed O'Connor when he surprised him in company with Mrs. Allison.

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Stamped Pieces for Embroidery. Today's Specials from the Art Department. NIGHTGOWNS—Women's nightgowns, stamped for embroidery. The regularly special. 59c. CHILD'S GOWNS—Children's nightgowns made of fine nainsook and stamped for embroidery. 25c. CHILD'S DRESS—Of pique and mull, stamped in pretty designs. 89c. ROMPERS—Already made and stamped for embroidery. Also stamped white pique dresses. 25c. Stamped Guest Towels, 20c values, 15c. C. M. C. Cotton—Best Substitute for D. M. C. No. 30.....12c No. 40.....10c No. 50.....8c No. 60.....6c Handbags 59c. Five or six different styles from our \$1.00 line. Handbags of genuine leather with nickel frame. On special sale today for 59c. 2 Fey. Hairpins 25c. Shell hairpins in amber and dark shell color, set with rhinestones. Two on a card, 50c value—25c the card.

CUBAN OFFICERS EN ROUTE HERE. BIG DELEGATION TO ATTEND THE OPENING OF THE PANAMA EXPOSITION. (BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) EL PASO (Tex.), Feb. 3.—Major Gen. Loynaz of the Cuban standing army, accompanied by nineteen of his staff and commissioners from Cuba to the opening of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, arrived here tonight en route to Los Angeles, where they will stop on their way to San Francisco. The Cuban delegation includes some of the most prominent men of the island and republic. They are traveling in a special car over the Southern Pacific, and were met here by a special delegation from the Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Commerce of the North Hotel. They left at 9:30 tonight for the West, and have arranged to stay in Los Angeles a day. Arrangements are also being made to entertain the New York State delegation, who will be here tomorrow on their way to the Coast. Job for James E. Cram. (BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, Feb. 3.—James E. Cram of Highland was appointed a member of the board of managers of the Southern California State Hospital by Gov. Johnson today to succeed Austin Park, whose term has expired.

mega Oil FOR Neuralgia. Rub Omega Oil gently over the aching nerves; then cover with flannel soaked in the oil. Put a piece of dry flannel over this and bind tightly against the face. This simple treatment has brought peaceful rest to people who have suffered agonies. Mrs. C. F. Rouse, 709 E. 52nd Street, Says Akox Gave Relief in Few Weeks. For ten years Mrs. C. F. Rouse, wife of a well-known Pacific Electric motor man, residing at 709 East Fifty-second street, sought relief from stomach trouble. She declares she did not get it until she tried Akox, the wonderful California medicinal mineral. Mrs. Rouse writes: "For ten years I had stomach trouble. Three years ago I came to Los Angeles from Denver, hoping to get relief. Like the many remedies I tried, I got no benefit. My suffering was intense. Gas would form, causing bloating and severe pains in the abdomen. The pains and headaches would awaken me at night. Fever and chills were frequent. I lost ten pounds in seven months. In three weeks after taking Akox I began to feel better. In a month's time the gas, bloating and pains in my stomach went away. The headaches ceased, and in the abdomen no more weeks caused the chills and fever to stop. I regained my lost weight. I kept on taking the Akox until I have not had an ache nor a symptom of my former ailment, or any kind of stomach trouble since." Akox has given relief to thousands of such cases, as well as rheumatism, vertigo, etc.

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R.O.S. signals were flashed from the headquarters of the Daddy Long-Legs Doll Committee of the Children's Home Society in the Times Building yesterday afternoon. Notwithstanding the fact that the ladies in charge of the beautiful philanthropic work in behalf of orphan children in Los Angeles were prepared to meet a tremendous demand for the Daddy Long-Legs dolls, they did not anticipate the record-breaking sale that developed during the matinee performance of "Daddy Long-Legs" at the Mason Opera-house.

At the end of the first act of the play Dr. Brougher came before the curtain and explained to an audience which packed every corner and crevice of the building that the Daddy Long-Legs dolls would be sold during the next intermission by the little make-up artists of the Children's Home Society to aid the real-life orphans of Los Angeles. When the curtain fell at the end of the second act, the six tiny actors, five girls and one boy, stood up and down the aisles of the theater, handing out the Daddy Long-Legs dolls to the hundreds of outstretched hands.

Before the end of the first intermission it became apparent to the ladies of the committee in charge of the sale that even the big supply of dolls and a dozen different parts of the theater was inadequate to furnish the eager stage youngsters with a sufficient amount of selling material. The speed of the sale was limited only by the rapidity with which the children of Mr. Miller's company could match the Daddy Long-Legs dolls from big baskets and grasp the half dollars tendered to them. Some big-hearted men and women in the audience waved aside any proffered doll and not a few exchanged \$5 and \$10 gold pieces for the cunning little toys.

EMERGENCY CALLS.

In this emergency automobiles were pressed into service and quick runs were made from the headquarters of the Children's Home Society in the Times Building to the Mason Opera-house. As the clamor for dolls increased, telephone calls were sent to volunteer women in all parts of the city asking them to hurry down to the Times Building and avail the force of workers who were sewing the orphan costumes for the attractive little dolls. The completed dolls were hastily matched from the hands of the seamstresses, piled in boxes, and rushed to the Mason Opera-house. Only by the most strenuous efforts was it possible to keep up with the sale. And at the end of the play practically every man, woman and child in the audience of nearly 1400 people, filed out through the various exits bearing one or more Daddy Long-Legs dolls in their arms.

One of the most picturesque incidents in yesterday's developments of the Daddy Long-Legs dolls campaign was the announcement that some of the prominent people in Los Angeles have decided to use the new toy as decoration for the hoods of their automobiles. The smartest cars in the city are to become advertising mediums for the Daddy Long-Legs dolls, and the famous "kewpies" are being presented by toy representatives of boys and girls.

LITTLE EPISODES.

Unforgettable human interest episodes yesterday came to the attention of the members of the Children's Home Society, who are in charge of the Daddy Long-Legs Doll campaign. In particular, a bright-eyed, curly-haired child of 9, the adopted child of one of the women members of the board of directors, caused considerable comment. At the height of the lady's activities a large rag doll of the old-fashioned variety was brought in by a sad-eyed woman. The plump waist of the little girl was tied a slip on which had been scribbled "This doll's name is Marian." A complete doll's wardrobe, which may delight some little girl's will go with Marian to her new home. The ladies of the reception committee, surprised from the girl's tenderly hesitating manner, "Marian" was the treasured possession of some little namesake now moved away.

One of yesterday's efficient workers in the Daddy Long-Legs Doll campaign was "Charles," a bright-eyed boy of 9, the adopted child of one of the women members of the board of directors. This little boy was taken from his new home when he was 4 years old. He is now a charming, well-mannered lad, devoted to his "mother" and has interests, and he is wide-eyed excitement over the wonderful work that is being carried on by the Daddy Long-Legs Doll Committee in Los Angeles. The lad now has a beautiful home and tender care. He was that all the hard work was being done so that a great many other children in this city could be made as happy as himself.

CLUBS INTERESTED.

The Million Club and the Ebell Club have notified the Children's Home Society that they wished to be in the assistance of the Daddy Long-Legs Doll campaign. A description of the campaign was given from the platform of the Million Club yesterday by Mrs. C. S. Politz. She asked the members to pledge their co-operation in the work of dressing the Daddy Long-Legs dolls and making contributions to the fund for the needy orphans. The plea was received with unstinted enthusiasm by the members, who volunteered as a group to go to the assistance of the Children's Home Society. An equally enthusiastic endorsement was given by the members of the Ebell Club, who have already begun the work of dressing the dolls for sale in the Times Building. A number of children, accompanied by their mothers, visited the headquarters of the Daddy Long-Legs Doll Committee to see the work in person. One of the children, a boy of 10, who was carried on in behalf of the little boys and girls of this city, were neither mothers nor nurses, but they were ready to meet the emergency.



"Will you please buy a Daddy Long-Legs doll, mister?"

These are some of the "play orphans" from the Mason Opera-house making their appeal to the charitable for the really unfortunate of their brothers and sisters.

Mulholland's Testimony.
(Continued from First Page.)

shortage that might be occasioned from an exceptionally dry season.

"But, Mr. Mulholland," queried Attorney Carpenter, "assuming that the full ultimate flow is being taken from Haiwee and that wells have not been driven to develop the additional supply from underground sources and that the Haiwee reservoir is full at the beginning of a season, how much would the water in the reservoir be lowered at the end of a dry year such as occurred once in the past ten years?"

Mr. Mulholland replied that the reservoir under such conditions would be just about emptied, but asserted that those conditions can never exist. "Conditions in Owens Valley," he explained, "are much different than in Los Angeles. Here we do not know how much water there will be till the rainy season has come and gone. There, where the water comes from melting snow, it can be accurately determined five months in advance. The amount of snow on the mountains five months in advance of the flow of water from those snows into the aqueduct determines the extent of the flow."

In the event of light snows forecasting a dry year, Mr. Mulholland stated that wells can be driven to tap the artesian supply in three months. He also called attention to the fact that the city is not now using all the 420 second feet of water available, and may not for years.

In the course of his testimony, Mr. Mulholland showed an intimate knowledge of every portion of the Owens River supply, its formation, geology and its inhabitants. He said that it is one of the best sources of pure water, in his opinion, in America, that there is nothing to unduly contaminate the water and that the aqueduct system with its great length and storage basins is fully competent to bring the water to the consumer in this city in potable form and absolutely safe to drink.

Carl Wilson, specialist in water supply and bacteriology, who made surveys of the Owens Valley and tested samples of the water at various points for Smith, Emery & Co., began his testimony yesterday afternoon. With instruments and paraphernalia to illustrate his statements he explained the extreme care observed in taking the samples and making bacteriological tests in the laboratory. In each case, he said, the samples were taken and the bottles corked under water, and the bottles were kept in refrigerator cases until they were refrigerated in the laboratory.

Mr. Wilson described three visits to the valley and the aqueduct system. He said that he found conditions good from a sanitary standpoint, and saw no source of contamination at many points which he inspected. Animal life, according to his observations, was limited to a few jack rabbits and desert chipmunks.

GIBSON SEEKS WRIT.

Former County Probation Officer Would Attach Pay Roll to Get Money Alleged to be Due Him.

A petition for a writ of mandamus, directed against the County Civil Service Commission, compelling that body to attach to the pay roll of the County the January account of Hugh C. Gibson, former County Probation Officer, was filed in the District Court of Appeal yesterday. The writ was allowed and is returnable on the 23rd inst.

The suit making Ira J. H. Sykes, David Evans and George Alexander, members of the County Civil Service Board, defendants, alleges that Gibson was appointed Probation Officer of Los Angeles county, March 4, 1912, at a salary of \$1200 a month. It is further set out that on January 8, last, Judge Taft of the County Probation Committee and the other members, Joseph Auerbach, Nora McCourtney, Dora Deal Lewis and John T. Miller, transmitted to the petitioner a communication informing him that he had been removed from the office for various alleged derelictions of his public duty. It is claimed that no notice of his removal was ever transmitted to the County Civil Service Board.

On February 1, last, Mr. Gibson

presented his account for services during the previous month to the County Civil Service Board and that body refused to certify that he had been employed during that month. It is also set out in the petition that subsequent to the removal of Mr. Gibson, Judge Works, in an action brought by Mrs. Maude Anderson, County Civil Service Board and that body refused to certify that he had been employed during that month. It is also set out in the petition that subsequent to the removal of Mr. Gibson, Judge Works, in an action brought by Mrs. Maude Anderson, County Civil Service Board and that body refused to certify that he had been employed during that month. It is also set out in the petition that subsequent to the removal of Mr. Gibson, Judge Works, in an action brought by Mrs. Maude Anderson, County Civil Service Board and that body refused to certify that he had been employed during that month.

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An Open Letter
(About Bronchitis)
August 2, 1914.

TO THE PUBLIC:

In March, 1914, I became afflicted with an attack of Bronchitis which forced me to remain in bed for two months. The doctor in attendance changed the medicine several times, and instead of improvement, I seemed to grow worse. For a while I was despondent, until my wife read a little pamphlet advertising the "Essence Mentho-Laxene." Discouraged with what I had been using without effect, I was willing to try almost anything that sounded like a cure. The Mentho-Laxene was bought, the syrup prepared according to direction, and before half of the quantity was consumed the cough had abated and I was able to get up and get around the house. To make a long story short, I was at work four days after, and have never felt any symptoms of the dread disease since. All who are acquainted with Bronchitis will understand how hard it is to subdue the cough, but today I am willing to take an oath or make an affidavit to the effect that my case of Bronchitis was as severe as ever afflicted man, and that I was positively cured of it in less than four days, all due to the wonderful curative powers of the "Essence Mentho-Laxene." Since then I have recommended it to all sufferers as I was, or to those who were subject to colds of any kind. In each case the medicine sustained the reputation I had given it, and all were loud in their praises of this truly valuable prescription.

All who may be skeptical in its use can write me, and I will cheerfully give them all the information they desire above my personal signature.

Very respectfully,
A. CAMPBELL,
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New Spring Coats \$12.50, \$15, \$18.50, \$20.00 and Up
Our new models have received the approval of discriminating buyers. The short coat styles have the Empire or normal waist lines. Some are made Norfolk, others have belt only across the back, while still others fall straight from the shoulder. Fancy mixtures, invisible plaids, covert and homespun are modish materials.

Attractive Spring Dresses \$11.50, \$16.50, \$19.50, \$22.50 and Up
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When convalescing, or in fact whenever a suspicion of kidney weakness is aroused by backache, rheumatic pains, nervousness or general weakness with a noticeable disorder of the urine, it is a good plan to forestall the coming attack of kidney complaint by using Doan's Kidney Pills.

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES C. KAYS of No. 741 South New Hampshire avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Joseph D. Bernard. The exact date for the wedding has not been decided upon, but it will probably take place some time in June.

Martin Whitaker. St. John's Episcopal Church, which is noted for its picturesque weddings, was never prettier than last evening with its handsome decorations arranged for the marriage of Miss Agnes Whitaker and Clyde Martin. The setting was an old-fashioned garden—the altar hidden with box trees forming a hedge combined with huckleberry branches, over which could be seen old-fashioned flowers. The room screen was covered with the huckleberry branches, and the arches twined in ferns, and on either side of the altar were placed tall-handled French baskets filled with old-fashioned blossoms. An aisle was formed of white satin ribbon.

The winsome bride was gowned in heavy white satin, made en traine with a tulle overdress, trimmed in crystal beads and pearls. A tulle veil with a band of pearls across the forehead, caught into cap effect with orange blossoms, a stiff bouquet of lilies of the valley and orange blossoms in a paper holder, with white satin streamers to which orange blossoms were caught were other adornments. The maid of honor, Miss Penny Whitaker, sister of the bride; Mrs. Huellet Clinton Merritt, Jr., matron of honor, and Miss Dorothy Armstrong and Miss Ella Burk, bridesmaids, were all dressed alike in turquoise blue tulle frocks with white satin streamers, and carried French baskets filled with old-fashioned flowers, the tall handles tied with white satin ribbons. Wallace Post attended the groom, and the ushers included Bert Nichols, Jack Vial, and J. Horace Johnson. Rev. George Davidson, the rector in charge, read the lines. The organist played the wedding march as the bride party entered the church, and before the service reached a special program as the 300 guests were assembling.

A reception and wedding supper followed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melville T. Whitaker, on West Eleventh street, for

WORLD WHIRL AT MAJESTIC.

"Daddy Long-legs" to Stay at Mason.

Musical Comedy de Luxe for the Morosco.

Dustin Farnum in Revival of "Virginian."

"The Whirl of the World," the latest and said to be the greatest of all Winter Garden spectacles, opens a nine days' engagement at the Majestic Theater tomorrow night. The production comes from record-breaking engagements.



Millo Picco (left), singing "I Love You, California," in the Central Park with the newboys in preparation for the Shriners' grand opera performance Thursday night.

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Miss Green's Charity Tea is Great Success.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

PASADENA, Feb. 4.—Miss Clara Busch, the \$25,000 debutante of the "million-dollar ball," arrived yesterday in Pasadena, with her mother, August Busch, and her two sisters, Miss Marie Busch and Miss Helen Busch.

The family are staying at "Ivy Hall," No. 1021 South Orange Grove avenue, during the absence of Mrs. August Busch, who is now in Germany. Mr. Busch arrived earlier than usual owing to the illness of his brother, Carl Busch, who is at "Ivy Hall."

Miss Clara Busch, the most famous debutante of the present season, is only 19 years old, but is said to be almost making plans for her marriage to a well-known St. Louis society man. Miss Busch made her debut two weeks ago at what is known as the "million-dollar ball," which was held at the Sunset Hill Country Club, and 500 guests bidden.

The flowers used for the decorations at a small fortune, while \$5000 was expended for the smart supper with which the night's entertainment was ended. The night's entertainment was a supper carried by Miss Marie Busch, sister of the debutante, was composed of Japanese green orchids brought all the way from New York in a specially cooled compartment cared for by an attendant throughout the long journey.

Mr. August Busch is an ardent devotee of sports and gymnastics, and this morning he will begin his usual daily training with Roger Cornell. For the present he will live with his family where he was living with his other, when war broke out. He is optimistic as to the outcome of the war in Europe.

OFFICER EXONERATED.

The City Commissioners exonerated yesterday morning Police Captain Delly and Officer Harris of the Pasadena Police Force of the charges of delinquency brought against them by Peter O'Brien.

O'Brien, a jitney bus driver, arrested a suspected being drunk on January 1, in consequence of which a house was revoked, charged with beating his head against a wall while he was searched for a gun. He also charged that Harris and his wife in front of the police station on the following day.

After taking the testimony of nine witnesses, Commissioners of the department of public safety, made a motion that the officers be exonerated from the motion carrying by a vote.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fahnstich, prominent in society in New York and Massachusetts, where they have a country estate, were in Pasadena yesterday with a valet and maid and are domiciled at the Hotel Marlborough.

This is their first trip to California and they are delighted. They are accompanied by their valet and maid, who were instrumental in their coming to Pasadena. Countess de Heredia are occupying the Hotel Marlborough.

CHARITY TEA SUCCESS.

Miss Green's "Charity Tea" for the Pasadena County Jail, given yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Green, was a decided success, both financially and socially.

The large was the crowd in attendance that extra tables had to be arranged in the ante-rooms of the big ballroom.

When the announcement in the Pasadena Herald that Miss Green was to foster the interests of the "Charity Tea" at the Hotel Green, was received, many letters offering assistance in their containing checks for various amounts.

While tea was being served, Mrs. S. S. S. gave an interesting programme.

An old-fashioned dance, with old-fashioned music, to follow an old-fashioned dinner, will be the feature of the ballroom evening at the Hotel Marlborough tonight. Instead of the tango, one-step and other modern dances, there will be the Virginia reel, waltz, minuet and some of the dances of the former period. Miss Rita of the Huntington will lead the dance.

A chef will serve a dinner such as was usual thing in America years ago.

Golden fleece yarn demonstrations will be given. Free instructions in the art of making a good purchase. (Advertisement.)

Monte. Family hotel. Pasadena. (Advertisement.)

Agency, 334 Spring st. (Advertisement.)

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. (Advertisement.)

DIVIDING HIS TIME. (LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

Importance of having the country divided in Los Angeles through the Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Education, the Board of Public Works, the Board of Health, the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, the Board of Assessors, the Board of Auditors, the Board of Engineers, the Board of Surveyors, the Board of Commissioners of the county's representatives, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Public Works, the Board of Health, the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, the Board of Assessors, the Board of Auditors, the Board of Engineers, the Board of Surveyors, the Board of Commissioners of the county's representatives, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Public Works, the Board of Health, the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, the Board of Assessors, the Board of Auditors, the Board of Engineers, the Board of Surveyors, the Board of Commissioners of the county's representatives, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Public Works, the Board of 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THURSDAY MORNING.

Cities and Towns South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County News

BUSCH GIRLS
IN PASADENA.Noted Debutante of St. Louis
in Coast Society.Police Exonerated on Charge
of Beating Prisoner.Miss Green's Charity Tea
is Great Success.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

PASADENA, Feb. 4.—Miss Clara Busch, the \$20,000 debutante of the "million-dollar ball," arrived yesterday in Pasadena with her mother, August Busch, and her two sisters, Miss Marie Busch and Miss Alice Busch.

The family are staying at "Ivy Wall," No. 1021 South Orange Grove street, during the absence of Mrs. August Busch, who is now in Germany. Mr. Busch arrived earlier this morning than usual owing to the illness of his brother, Carl Busch, who is in the hospital.

Miss Clara Busch, the most beautiful debutante of the present season, is only 18 years old, but is said to be already making plans for her marriage to a well-known St. Louis society man. Miss Busch made her debut two weeks ago in the "million-dollar ball," which was held at the Sunset Hill Country Club, in the presence of 10,000 guests.

The flowers used for the decorations of the ball, valued at \$10,000, were supplied by the smart supper with which the night's entertainment. A banquet carried by Miss Marie Busch, sister of the debutante, was composed of famous green orchids brought all the way from New York in a specially selected compartment cared for by attendants throughout the long journey.

Mr. August Busch is an ardent devotee of sports and gymnastics, and is training his son to follow in his footsteps. He is now in Germany, where he will do his work in the gymnasium at "Ivy Wall," but he will use an open-air gymnasium.

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OFFICER EXONERATED.
The City Commissioners exonerated this morning Police Captain O'Connell from the force of the charges of assault against him by Peter J. O'Connell.

A jitney bus driver, arrested yesterday for being drunk on duty, was released after a hearing before the City Commissioners.

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Miss Elma Perry,
Who will lead the Virginia reel
at the El Centro.MINIATURE WAR
COMES TO HEAD.WORDS AND BLOWS OVER HOME-
STEAD RIGHTS.Locators and General Petroleum
Employees Have Merry Set-to-Over
Attempted Location on Oil Holding
for Agricultural Purposes.
In Court Now.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

TAYLOR, Feb. 4.—The miniature war between oil men and homesteaders in the Midway came to a head today, when Campbell Johnson and R. Porter were haled before Justice Cook at Taft, charged with assault with intent to commit murder upon Jack Samuelson of the General Petroleum Company.

The latter, accompanied by Felix Chapellier, general superintendent, and an attorney of the company, found Johnson and Porter in possession of land claimed by the company in the Elk Hills.

When ordered off, Porter and Johnson, claiming the land as agricultural, repelled sharply. One word followed another, and Samuelson is alleged to have pulled a pistol and blazed away at Samuelson, his bullets flying wide of the mark.

Apparently the parties are more concerned about testing their respective rights to the land than about the criminal charge, for they have agreed to wait until they can get an opinion from the United States Land Office at Visalia.

Some time ago a number of local men were advised that under a recent act of Congress they can locate and acquire title to the surface of oil lands for agricultural purposes, regardless of mineral rights, and upon this theory they have placed local notices on tracts claimed by the Standard, General Petroleum, North American Oil, Consolidated and various others, on some of which are producing wells, but down long ago. One who located on land of the North American and began to plow the surface was kicked off by the Standard, and declared his intention of making a court test of his rights. In other cases the oil companies have as yet taken no action. In the Elk Hills homesteaders entered upon an unguarded, temporarily abandoned property took possession of a \$10,000 residence and were living therein when the oil claimants returned and seized the building while the homesteaders were outside. At last reports they were still holding the fort.

Much of the land thus homesteaded is considered generally as of very questionable value for farming, owing to lack of water. If homesteaded it would be a waste of time and money to acquire title to the surface of oil lands for agricultural purposes, regardless of mineral rights, and upon this theory they have placed local notices on tracts claimed by the Standard, General Petroleum, North American Oil, Consolidated and various others, on some of which are producing wells, but down long ago. One who located on land of the North American and began to plow the surface was kicked off by the Standard, and declared his intention of making a court test of his rights. In other cases the oil companies have as yet taken no action. In the Elk Hills homesteaders entered upon an unguarded, temporarily abandoned property took possession of a \$10,000 residence and were living therein when the oil claimants returned and seized the building while the homesteaders were outside. At last reports they were still holding the fort.

Tennis next week at Coronado.
(Advertisement.)REDONDO BEACH WATER COMPANY'S
PROPERTY MAY BE PURCHASED BY THE
MUNICIPALITY WITH BONDS.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 3.—A variation of \$20,842 was found today in the valuations placed upon the property of the Redondo Beach Water Company at a hearing held in the City Hall by the State Railroad Commission. The hearing was held by Commissioner Loveland and Engineer Clark of the commission. Placed a valuation on the company's property of \$127,170, while J. P. Lippincott, representing the water company, declared the water mains, real estate and other holdings of the company are worth \$108,012.

The commissioner did not intimate what figure he would accept in fixing the valuation of the property, which the company proposes to sell to the city if the voters desire to take it over.

A meeting was held tonight to organize for the forthcoming campaign for the bond issue of \$223,000 for the purchase of two park sites, a library site and the building of a municipal pleasure and fishing pier. A mass meeting to urge the passing of the bond issue will be held next Friday night.

MOTHER AND SON DIE.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

ORANGE, Feb. 3.—Mrs. A. Langford of Fullerton is dead at the County Hospital of spinal meningitis. Two weeks ago she went to the posthouse with her son, James, aged 10, who was suffering from spinal meningitis. Suddenly the mother was taken with the disease. The son died. The mother seemed to be well on the road to recovery when she had a relapse and died.

PLAN TO CARRY
FLOOD WATERS.POMONA MAYOR'S SUGGESTIONS
MEETING WITH FAVOR.
GUARDS' PLAY.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

POMONA, Feb. 3.—Mayor Vandergift of this city favors the construction of two storm water canals to take care of the surplus flood waters which pour down from the mountains and canyons when there are excessive rains in this locality and thinks that the construction of such storm drains could be provided for by the formation of an assessment district or by a bond issue.

His idea is to build one canal along Fulton road to carry the waters of Thompson Creek—which always acts up in time of rains—over to Cucamonga avenue and then west across Lordeburg in a culvert; thence through a ravine near the Velar ranch and down into the canals of Ganessa Park.

Another drain could be put down on Alexander avenue and by right of way through an orange grove into the south lead of the San Antonio wash. The canals would be cement lined and would take care of all excess storm water which pours down through the residence district here.

HOMING GUARDSMEN.
In furtherance of the plans for the big home-coming event of present year, the members of Co. D, N.G.C., which will be held at the armory the evening of February 12, a number of committees have been appointed which will work under the general supervision of Lieut. N. C. Pedley, general chairman.

The Reception Committee is composed of Maj. W. W. Midgley, Capt. Homer Duffy, Lieut. Stevens and Dial, Capt. W. E. Stevens, Lieut. Pedley, Sergt. L. T. Wiley, J. B. Brown and C. P. Bayer. The General Committee includes Lieut. Pedley, Sergt. C. P. Rowe, H. E. Benson, Charles Thomas, C. P. Bayer, E. H. Webb, the floor committee consists of J. S. Norton, J. W. Orew, E. H. Stoner, Charles W. Stevens, H. E. Benson, and the Music Committee is composed of C. L. Talbot, Allen O'Hara and C. T. Bates.

POULTRY INDUSTRY.
In the interest of raising the standard of the poultry industry and of bettering conditions in raising and marketing fowls and eggs here, the Pomona Valley Poultry Breeders' Association has been organized. The officers are C. G. Ross, president; M. Whittier and D. E. Cox, vice-presidents; Dr. E. W. Harris, secretary, and Mrs. L. L. Lundey, treasurer. Messrs. Swagwood, C. H. Taylor and Messrs. H. W. Boone and C. C. Norton compose the Executive Committee.

The association has been formed with about forty charter members and there are other applications which will be voted upon at the next meeting. The poultry business in the city is assuming important proportions and the shipments of young fowls and the sale of eggs for commercial purposes and setting, are adding largely to the Pomona products shipped to other localities in Southern California, Arizona and New Mexico.

BEEF-SUGAR PLANS.
Workmen are busy at the big China sugar beet factory on the China ranch southeast of here renovating the plant and making improvements for the rush of the next season. A considerably larger acreage of beets will be grown in the locality of the factory this year than for some seasons past, because of the good demand and prices for beet products since the war.

Work has been started on a new beet dump sufficient to take care of all of the loads hauled at the factory by the big tractor engines now replacing horse and motor trucks in the work of hauling. The old dump, which has been in use for twenty years, will be abandoned, as the big tractor engines make the deliveries rapidly.

Polo at Coronado all the time.
Practice or match games daily.—(Advertisement.)DIRECTORS HOLD OVER.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

FULLERTON, Feb. 3.—As there was no quorum at the annual meeting of stockholders of the Anaheim Union Water Company, only 1800 shares of stock out of a total of 8000 being represented, the present board of directors, William Crowther, G. W. Sherwood, Dr. H. Hale, Dr. W. J. Ed Beasley, A. J. Dwyer and T. L. McFadden, will hold over for another year. The directors will meet Saturday the big tractor engines now replacing horse and motor trucks in the work of hauling. The old dump, which has been in use for twenty years, will be abandoned, as the big tractor engines make the deliveries rapidly.

COLLIER MAKES PORT.
(BY A. P. STONE WIRE.)

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 3.—With 4000 tons of coal on board for use of British and Japanese warships in the Pacific the British collier, Boyne, fifty-four days out from Panama, is in port, and will put to sea again at 5 o'clock this afternoon, when the twenty-four hour period allowed under the neutrality laws will have expired. A Japanese naval officer is on board the Boyne.

HUSBAND FEARS
FOR HIS WIFE.Believes She's Kidnaped to
Secure Property.Long Beach Man Suspects
Former Helpmate.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

LONG BEACH, Feb. 3.—J. A. Millard of No. 1046 East Fourth street has asked the police of this city and Los Angeles to help him find his wife, who Mrs. Millard was once drugged, and he wants to apprehend those who are said to have spirited her away.

Two men, an automobile and a green silk veil figured prominently in the disappearance of Mrs. Jessie Millard from home a few days ago. Millard went to lodge. When he came home he found his house dark and empty.

Neighbors, prominent among whom was Albert Howell, stated that two men drove up to the house, one of them bearing a green silk veil, and came out shortly with Mrs. Millard. They got into the auto and drove off in a westerly direction.

Millard says that from the time of her disappearance, he has been looking for her. The husband says that while she was in that state a man induced her to sign over to him \$5000 worth of property which she had inherited from her parents.

The missing woman is 38 years of age, is of medium height, weighs 103 pounds and walks very erect. The couple came to Long Beach two years ago, and according to Millard, lived without a quarrel.

SHOWERS OF RICE.
After an acquaintance of two weeks, which began at a card party in Hotel Kennebec, W. A. Latham, aged 65, wealthy resident of Kankakee, Ill., and Mrs. Lucy K. Peterson, aged 50, of South Deering, Ill., were married this morning at the home of Mrs. Peterson.

The ceremony was held at the home of Mrs. Peterson, and the couple were showered with rice and good wishes by the guests.

Mr. Latham and his daughter Isabel came here from Kankakee to remain a few weeks, registering on January 15. The day afterward, Mrs. Peterson came to the office again at the election in a game of whist and became the partner of the man whom she was to wed tonight in San Diego. The couple will return to Illinois immediately.

ENOUGH OF WORK.
Three members of the present school board, C. A. Buffum, Herbert N. Haskell and E. H. Wallace, refused to head the list for the election of four blocks from the family home. The fall of eighty feet from the perpendicular wall of the park resulted in instant death.

Mrs. Gray, who was 63 years of age, had been ill for several weeks. She was the mother of Marion R. Gray of Washington street.

The discovery was made by fishermen who were passing that way. Investigation disclosed the fact that Mrs. Gray had escaped the vigilance of her nurse shortly before daylight and wandered alone in the darkness. Whether she leaped or fell over the high bluffs of Palisades Park will never be known.

As soon as her absence was noted a search was instituted for her, but without success, as she had evidently headed direct for the cliffs, a distance of four blocks from the family home. The fall of eighty feet from the perpendicular wall of the park resulted in instant death.

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At Arrowhead are found the most curative baths known.—(Advertisement.)

CHARGES A FRAME-UP.
San Bernardino County Hospital Employee Alleges Detectives Laid a Trap for Him.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 3.—The girl who tried to make violent love to him and who by the display of lingerie attempted to get him to fall into a trap laid by detectives, was today made the object of a warrant on a charge of criminal conspiracy by Frank Barger, formerly nurse at the County Hospital. The girl is named as T. R. Davis, declared to be a detective of the State Pharmacy Board and Barger names D. Porter, also alleged to be State Pharmacy detective in the complaint.

As a result of delivering a "hypo" to the girl in the case, who was supposed to be a patient at the hospital, Dr. J. W. Callison, superintendent of the hospital, ordered Barger's arrest and he was kept in the County Jail twelve hours.

Barger declares that it was trumped up against him after an attempt to catch him with morphine in his possession failed. The two detectives are not in the city, it is stated, and the warrants have been served.

STORMS UPSET
ALL SCHEDULES.STEAMSHIPS ENCOUNTER ROUGH
WEATHER ON OCEAN.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Feb. 3.—Steamship schedules have been badly upset by the storm of yesterday. Many steamers bound for this port were held up during the blow, while several of the smaller steamers put back to ports of departure and will be a day late.

The Harvard, which was fourteen hours behind her schedule in arriving yesterday, did not get away on the return voyage to San Francisco until 5 o'clock this morning. Being so far behind her schedule her sailing today from San Francisco was taken by the Yale which has been in dry dock.

The Yale was scheduled to arrive Saturday. She will continue on the Harvard's schedule until Sunday afternoon, when she will double back to San Francisco after bringing passengers and freight upon the Harvard's schedule in the morning.

The North Pacific steamer Roanoke, due here last night, did not arrive from San Diego until this morning and was twelve hours behind her schedule when she sailed for San Francisco and Portland at noon today. The Santa Clara of the same line put back to San Francisco and will not arrive on schedule tomorrow.

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Auto boulevard direct from Los Angeles to Arrowhead Springs.—(Advertisement.)

Tennis tournament at Coronado.—(Advertisement.)

CORONER FINDS TWO
DEATHS ACCIDENTAL.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 3.—Accidental death was the conclusion arrived at this morning by the coroner, who investigated the circumstances of the demise of Mrs. Anna Gray, wife of W. H. Gray of No. 420 Washington street, whose body was found at an early hour this morning lying on the beach at the foot of Washington street.

The discovery was made by fishermen who were passing that way. Investigation disclosed the fact that Mrs. Gray had escaped the vigilance of her nurse shortly before daylight and wandered alone in the darkness. Whether she leaped or fell over the high bluffs of Palisades Park will never be known.

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BURIES POOR
AT MILL EACH.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

HARTFORD, Feb. 3.—It's just as unpleasant to die in Kings county as anywhere, and it's decidedly unpleasant to die poor. But there is one satisfaction a man may take if he cashes in his chips in this county and has to be buried with public funds. That is, that with about \$300,000 surplus in the treasury, the county will never have to bond itself to pay funeral expenses for its indigent dead.

A local undertaking firm was today awarded the contract to bury the county's indigent dead for 1 mill each. This price includes the digging of the grave. In many cases the county undertaker collects a fee from relatives or friends of the indigent.

TWO DEATHS OF A MARSHAL.
(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

IMPERIAL, Feb. 3.—Dan Southwell's attempts to retire to his grapefruit ranch and forget that he was ever City Marshal are not very successful. Monday at the Courthouse in El Centro the case against him for alleged acceptance of money from a woman for protection was called and continued. Tuesday, E. J. MacDonald, a rural mail carrier, announced that papers in a \$20,000 damage suit for false arrest have been prepared, and in which the former Marshal is the defendant. Today, J. D. Washington, a ranchman, filed a damage suit for \$1000 against Southwell, a bondsman for alleged false arrest by a deputy marshal.

BOND ELECTION.
The Board of Supervisors is considering the advisability of calling an election to vote upon \$100,000 bonds for building more paved roads. Today a conference upon the project was held by the Supervisors and the County Highway Commission. The result of the conference was that the Supervisors decided to make an effort to secure the sentiment of the voters upon the matter. If it appears that the bonds stand a good chance of getting a two-thirds vote, the election will be called.

One method that will be used to determine public sentiment will be to secure the vote of the Associated Chambers of Commerce, which will meet Friday night at York's Linds. That body is composed of delegates from every booster organization in the county.

A majority of the Supervisors are in favor of adopting the report of Highway Commissioners D. C. Pixley and R. J. McFadden, recommending that the \$240,000 surplus be used upon interior roads. At the same time the board is not adverse to building the coast boulevard, recommended by Highway Commissioner W. T. Newland, who also recommended a \$500,000 bond issue.

SUBORNATION CHARGE.
Today T. A. Weiss of Huntington Beach was arrested on a charge of subornation of perjury in connection with the trial of Walter de Hetro and Alvin Washburn, who were convicted of aiding in maintaining the Del Mar Social and Literary Club at Huntington Beach as a place for the distribution of liquor.

The complaint is sworn to by Attorney H. J. Forey, secretary of the Orange County Bar Association. It alleges that in a conversation with C. H. Mansur, who had been summoned as a witness for the prosecution, Weiss told Mansur that the "easiest and best way was not to remember." Mansur said he followed the advice of Weiss, whom he thought was an attorney, since Weiss practices in justice's courts.

Mansur did go on the stand and answered most questions with "I don't remember." He was close to being charged with perjury when he realized his position and went on the stand and told of his conversation with Weiss. Today Weiss gave \$1000 bonds with D. O. Stewart of Huntington Beach and John Brush of Santa Ana as sureties. Washburn is in jail serving a sentence imposed by Judge Thomas.

Many diversions at Arrowhead Springs. Altitude 3900 feet.—(Advertisement.)

Imperial Irrigation Election's Results.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

EL CENTRO, Feb. 3.—John D. Bennett was elected director for the Brawley division at the general election of the Imperial Irrigation District today. He polled 455 ballots and defeated W. H. Best, who received 315 votes, and H. E. Stewart, eighty votes. In the Brawley precinct Bennett polled 565, Best 134 and Stewart 49.

The chief contest involved the Brawley directorship. In the El Centro division Walter O. Hamilton, president of the board, was unopposed and in the Imperial division J. Arthur McBride was returned without opposition. That the vote should not be unanimous four electors wrote in the name of Mrs. McBride.

Clark Booher, with 117 votes, is re-elected Assessor and Tax Collector. H. T. Disney pressed him closest with 699. In the North End Disney led, but in the El Centro precinct Booher

rolled up 277 ballots against Disney's 45. Clifford Harrison was third with 44, and J. E. Cannon, who was not an active candidate, fourth, with 122.

For Treasurer the vote was as follows: R. H. Madrox 723, H. L. Barker 509, E. B. Moore 251, H. J. Thomas 193, H. L. Prevost 122.

All returns have been received by Secretary Berry with the exception of Magnolia and Silbes precincts, which are not sufficient in number to change the result. Next Monday the district will probably take the position as chief creditor in the affairs of the California Development Company now held by the Southern Pacific.

President Hamilton and Director Earl Pound have an engagement to meet W. F. Herrin, counsel for the Espee, in Los Angeles, Monday, at which time the contract for the transfer for the railroad claims to the district will be signed.

Polo three times a week at Coronado. Four teams there.—(Advertisement.)

PLAN TO CARRY
FLOOD WATERS.POMONA MAYOR'S SUGGESTIONS
MEETING WITH FAVOR.
GUARDS' PLAY.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

POMONA, Feb. 3.—Mayor Vandergift of this city favors the construction of two storm water canals to take care of the surplus flood waters which pour down from the mountains and canyons when there are excessive rains in this locality and thinks that the construction of such storm drains could be provided for by the formation of an assessment district or by a bond issue.

His idea is to build one canal along Fulton road to carry the waters of Thompson Creek—which always acts up in time of rains—over to Cucamonga avenue and then west across Lordeburg in a culvert; thence through a ravine near the Velar ranch and down into the canals of Ganessa Park.

Another drain could be put down on Alexander avenue and by right of way through an orange grove into the south lead of the San Antonio wash. The canals would be cement lined and would take care of all excess storm water which pours down through the residence district here.

HOMING GUARDSMEN.
In furtherance of the plans for the big home-coming event of present year, the members of Co. D, N.G.C., which will be held at the armory the evening of February 12, a number of committees have been appointed which will work under the general supervision of Lieut. N. C. Pedley, general chairman.

The Reception Committee is composed of Maj. W. W. Midgley, Capt. Homer Duffy, Lieut. Stevens and Dial, Capt. W. E. Stevens, Lieut. Pedley, Sergt. L. T. Wiley, J. B. Brown and C. P. Bayer. The General Committee includes Lieut. Pedley, Sergt. C. P. Rowe, H. E. Benson, Charles Thomas, C. P. Bayer, E. H. Webb, the floor committee consists of J. S. Norton, J. W. Orew, E. H. Stoner, Charles W. Stevens, H. E. Benson, and the Music Committee is composed of C. L. Talbot, Allen O'Hara and C. T. Bates.

POULTRY INDUSTRY.
In the interest of raising the standard of the poultry industry and of bettering conditions in raising and marketing fowls and eggs here, the Pomona Valley Poultry Breeders' Association has been organized. The officers are C. G. Ross, president; M. Whittier and D. E. Cox, vice-presidents; Dr. E. W. Harris, secretary, and Mrs. L. L. Lundey, treasurer. Messrs. Swagwood, C. H. Taylor and Messrs. H. W. Boone and C. C. Norton compose the Executive Committee.

The association has been formed with about forty charter members and there are other applications which will be voted upon at the next meeting. The poultry business in the city is assuming important proportions and the shipments of young fowls and the sale of eggs for commercial purposes and setting, are adding largely to the Pomona products shipped to other localities in Southern California, Arizona and New Mexico.

BEEF-SUGAR PLANS.
Workmen are busy at the big China sugar beet factory on the China ranch southeast of here renovating the plant and making improvements for the rush of the next season. A considerably larger acreage of beets will be grown in the locality of the factory this year than for some seasons past, because of the good demand and prices for beet products since the war.

Work has been started on a new beet dump sufficient to take care of all of the loads hauled at the factory by the big tractor engines now replacing horse and motor trucks in the work of hauling. The old dump, which has been in use for twenty years, will be abandoned, as the big tractor engines make the deliveries rapidly.

Polo at Coronado all the time.
Practice or match games daily.—(Advertisement.)DIRECTORS HOLD OVER.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

FULLERTON, Feb. 3.—As there was no quorum at the annual meeting of stockholders of the Anaheim Union Water Company, only 1800 shares of stock out of a total of 8000 being represented, the present board of directors, William Crowther, G. W. Sherwood, Dr. H. Hale, Dr. W. J. Ed Beasley, A. J

Grain.
ING-BEE.
IN WHEAT PIT.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATION

[BY DIRECT WIRE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE *Carrier*, R. H. Ex.

NAVELS.		Avg.
Mother Colony, S.T. Ex.	.....	\$2.15
Ben Hur, R.C. Ex.	.....	2.10
El Camino, imp. S.A. Ex.	.....	2.25
El Camino, S.A. Ex.	.....	2.05
Est. S.A. Ex.	.....	2.00

LEMONS.	
Dan Patch, S.B. Ex.	.....
Pony	.....

Sierra Vista (blooms, halves)	1.10
Watchumna (off large sizes)	2.13
Gateway	1.95
Gold Buckle, R.H. Ex.	2.35
Royal Purple,	2.30

Mission	\$2.10	Red Ridinghood, S.D. Ex.
Exposition	2.05	LEMONS.
Panama	1.80	Whittier, S.T. Ex.
Festival	1.70	Pico

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
 BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Market is easier.

Citrus Fruit Shipments
 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
 CHICAGO, ILL.

Sunnyheights, R.H. Ex.	\$2.10	Butte counties on February 1
Priscilla, A.H. Ex.	2.50	Note—Owing to wire service
Robusta, A.H. Ex.	2.55	ing crippled, we are unable
Hobo, A.H. Ex.	2.05	our complete report on all mar-
Everybody's, S.B. Ex.	2.50	
Cosmos, S.B. Ex.	2.15	Chicago Citrus Market.
Royal Knight, R.H. Ex.	2.50	157 DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DIS-
		CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE
		Ed. R. Kraft, Analyst, Market

Braeside, Riv. Ex.	\$1.50
Yellowhammer, S.C. Ex.	1.45
Sapsucker, S.C. Ex.	1.35
Crestline, R.H. Ex.	2.20

Greyhound.....	2.00	Buerrre de Anjou.....	1.75@3.00
Pup.....	1.95	Bosc.....	3.00@3.75
		Winter Nellie.....	1.50@1.75
		5-tier.....	2.00@2.75
		western stock, box.....	1.50@2.25
		fruit, box.....	1.50@2.00
		slow, 25@30 per quart.....	

Pittsburgh Market.
 (BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 3.—Market unchanged.

NAVELS.

Chicago Grain Market.

Silvergate, E.L.C. Ex.	2.10	CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Range of quotations				
Reindeer, E.L.C. Ex.	2.10	Wheat—	Oats.	High.	Low.	Net
Iris, D.M. Ex.	2.50	May	1.04.	1.69.	1.56½.	1.30.
Violet, D.M. Ex.	2.45	July	1.41½.	1.43½.	1.37.	1.30½.
Jasmine, D.M. Ex.	1.95	May	83½.	83½.	80.	81.
		July	85.	85.	82½.	80½.
		Oats—	81½.	81½.	80½.	
LEMONS.						
Arab, S.D. Ex.	\$2.85					

Cleveland Market.		July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
[BY DIRECT WIRE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]		Lard.....	19.97	20.25	19.95
CLEVELAND, Feb. 3.—Snowing.		May.....	11.60	11.60	11.57
Market unchanged. Nine cars sold.		July.....	11.62	11.70	11.50
NAVELS.		Ribs.....	Mar.....	10.60	10.60
		July.....	10.82	10.82	10.67
					10.6
Everybody's, S.R. Ex.,	.....				\$1.95
Royal Knight, R.H. Ex.,	.....				2.35

New York Cotton Market.

Waukeen, C.C. Ex.	1.63
LEMONS.	
Kaweah Mald. C.C. Ex.	\$2.75
Arab, S.D. Ex.	3.00
Pup	2.75
St. Louis Market.	
NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Following is summary of quotations:	
Option—	Open. High. Low.
March	8.75 9.13 8.75
May	8.97 9.27 8.97
July	9.13 9.45 9.13
October	9.29 9.60 9.29
December	9.50 9.52 9.50

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Events in Society.

Continued from Sixth Page.
given at this hotel tonight, and most of them also will be seen in the various other dances of the 1915 period. This is particularly true of the older guests, who are anxious again to try the steps that were popular in bygone days. The novelty of the affair appears to carry a general appeal, for numerous reservations for the old-fashioned dinner that is to precede the dance are being received from Pasadena and Los Angeles society members and from residents of the winter colony outside the hotel.

GOOD REPORT TO BE ISSUED.

UNITED OIL SHOWS INCREASE IN EARNINGS.
Net Profits for Last Year Over Hundred Thousand Dollars, According to Price-Waterhouse Statement—January Production and Income.

A substantial increase in the profits and financial strength of the United Oil Company occurred last year. The profit and loss account reveals net earnings of \$123,774 for 1914, according to the report prepared by Price, Waterhouse & Co., expert accountants, which will be made a part of the annual statement to be sent to stockholders of the company early next week. This report was received at the offices of the company yesterday.

Oil production last year is shown to have been 568,951 barrels, from which a revenue of \$267,245 was derived. Besides, there were earnings from royalties and of a miscellaneous character amounting to over \$50,000. The total income consequently amounted to something over \$327,000, from which is deducted operating expenses of \$213,026; reserve for depreciation and exhaustion of \$84,506; general and administration expenses of \$20,450, and other items, bringing the total of expenses up to \$318,721. This leaves a net of \$108,279.

The increase over the net earnings of the previous year amounted to about \$20,000, but it would not have been as great had the company not charged off a large amount to depreciation on account of loss on its McKittrick property.

Production of the United Oil Company for last month was a little over 48,000 barrels. The gross income is expected to total about \$19,000. This will clean up all outstanding obligations, and leave a balance of about \$500 in the bank, it is stated.

Considerable interest is attached to the developments in the company's No. 26 well on section 25, 31-22. It is down over 3000 feet, and has had forty feet of oil sand.

"Coming District."
The Outman mining district near Kingman, Ariz., is described as a coming mining section by H. E. Woods, a well-known mining man of this city, who has just returned from a trip of inspection, during the course of which he visited the scene of the strikes reported last Sunday in The Times. The stocks which will trade in a year or two hence will be mining stock of the Outman section, he stated yesterday.

"Although the Tom Reed has made a name for the district, its future has been greatly enhanced by the recent developments," he said. "Since the strikes contracts have been executed for the investment of at least \$200,000 in the district, and the prospect, as the ore lies at a depth of several hundred feet."

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MAKING SURVEY FOR TUBE PLANS.

ENGINEER HOWELL TAKES STEP TOWARDS ESTIMATES.

Study of Present Underground Conditions to be Followed by Conference with Railway Officials. London Engineer will Submit Plans to Utilities Board Today.

No time is being lost by the Board of Public Utilities in carrying out the expressed wishes of the City Council that estimates be prepared at once on the cost of subways for car traffic in the congested portion of the business district. The Council's suggestion was that the district to be included in such estimates include Main street, Spring street, Broadway and Hill street, from Temple to Tenth street. Since then Commissioner Wreching has suggested the advisability of extending the estimates to include Main street to the Plaza, so that if a union railroad terminal should come in the future, provision for a subway thereto would be available.

Franklin D. Howell, who was recently placed at the head of the Board of Public Utilities' railroad department is devoting his time to a survey of present underground conditions within the district outlined above. About three years ago the Council appropriated \$12,500 for the purpose of having the City Engineer make a comprehensive map of the underground conduits, etc., and it is probable that much of this work will be available for the use of Engineer Howell, thus saving much time in the preparation of plans and estimates.

When the survey is completed, the Board of Public Utilities will arrange for conferences with the railway officials. Meanwhile the general subject is being given much study by President Lane and various suggestions are being received.

Mr. Lowe, a civil engineer, with offices at No. 501 Mason building, who was connected with the construction of subways in London, will present to the board this morning at 10 o'clock a resume of his study of local conditions with reference to subways.

PARK APPROACH.

Steps taken yesterday at a conference between the Public Works and Public Utilities committees of the City Council and Paul Sharp, J. C. Millan and H. V. Platt, representing the railway companies, for the creation of a handsome approach to Exposition Park by the improvement of Exposition boulevard.

This project has been under way for some time, but the details of the agreement were reached yesterday. The private right of way of the Santa Monica air line and the street spaces on each side of this line will be paved. This improvement and the beautification of Figueroa-street entrance and of the Thirty-ninth-street entrance to the park will create a decided change in the appearance of the park district.

The agreement reached yesterday provides for the exchange of certain lands between the city and railroads, so that the city will have a better approach to the park for the improvement of Exposition boulevard.

Municipal Dance.

The Mayor and the City Council yesterday received invitations from Chief of Police Sebastian to attend the municipal dance, to be given under the auspices of the City Mothers' Bureau on the evening of February 18 at the Goldberg-Boyley Hall.

Will Get More Power.

Because of protest before the City Council yesterday against the moving-picture production of "The Clansman" being shown in Los Angeles, the Council instructed the City Attorney to advise it this morning the ordinance now providing for the powers and duties of the Board of Censors of Moving Pictures is sufficient and gives the board authority to censor on what pictures shall or shall not be shown upon the screens in Los Angeles, and if the ordinance does not give that authority, then the City compare and present such an ordinance, bearing the emergency clause. The Council passed a motion requesting the Board of Censors to prevent the showing of "The Clansman" pictures.

Its Popularity Grows.

Van Griffith, manager of the auto bus line operating between the Hollywood car line and Griffith Park, on Vermont avenue, notified the Park Commission yesterday that the service has been increased to provide for the growing popularity of the line to the park and golf grounds. Starting today, the fifteen-minute service of the auto line will run from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m., connecting with Pacific Electric cars.

The auto line is provided with a

booster by C. E. J. G. Griffith, who will remain until next June. Recently the subject of giving the operators an exclusive privilege to operate within the park was placed before the Park Commission. At its last meeting it asked the City Attorney for an opinion as to whether such a permit or franchise could be granted.

More Public Work.

The City Council yesterday adopted ordinances for the improvement of Baltimore street from Avenue 50 to Avenue 59; Armadale avenue from the north line of Tract No. 625 to York boulevard; sewerage certain portions of Coronado and Adobe streets; establishing curb lines on Vermont and Hillhurst avenue to Los Feliz avenue; and granting permission to improve Hillhurst avenue between Vermont avenue and Los Feliz road, under private contract.

Three Paving Contracts.

The Board of Public Works yesterday awarded contracts for three important pieces of public work. The California Arizona Construction Company was given the contract for the improvement of Kingsley drive, from Fountain avenue to Santa Monica boulevard. This includes grading, asphalt paving, curbs and sidewalks, and the time limit is placed at eighty days. The contract price is \$12,500.45.

The Fairchild-Gilmore-Wilton Company was given the contract for the paving of Ardmore avenue, from First to Second streets, for \$554.22. Benjamin F. Ford and Fred H. Stout received the contract for improvement of Arlington avenue from Sixteenth to Washington streets, for \$247.74. This will include bitulithic pavement, cement curbs and sidewalks and granite block gutters.

The Kling Company has been given

the contract for the installation of ornamental lighting posts on Harvard boulevard, between Sixteenth and Washington streets.

ONE DAY'S DOINGS.

IN MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The City Council has raised its prohibition against the use of unemployed for the relief camp at Griffith Park on work on the municipal golf links, and in the future these men can be used on work in any part of the city.

The Park Commission has granted the Drama League of America the use of Ellysian Park on April 3 for the purpose of giving a spring festival. President Loppincott and Park Superintendent Shearer have been making an inspection of the park to determine the preparations necessary for this affair.

The Municipal Charities Commission has suggested to the Park Commission the advisability of using a portion of the men in camp at Griffith Park for the purpose of laying out baseball grounds and a rifle range. The Park Commission at its last meeting decided that the establishment of a rifle range in the park would endanger the lives of visitors, but that a baseball field is a desirable adjunct and the Park Superintendent was instructed to make arrangements for such a place.

The Park Commission hopes to erect a handsome bathhouse in Echo Park during the next fiscal year. At its last meeting it asked the City Council to extend the contract of the present concessionaire for the bathhouse and refectory in Echo Park for six months.

It is probable that an effort will be made to secure a highly ornamental structure when the Los Angeles Railway builds its new bridge across the Bimini Slough, in the territory that will become a part of the Silver Lake parkway. A sketch of a bridge such as would be acceptable to the park department was submitted to the Park Commission Monday and the construction superintendent stated that the railway officials will ask the city to share the cost of the structure in case it is desired to make provision for walks, roadways, driveways, etc.

The Park Commission has instructed the park superintendent to make arrangements to open the bowling greens in Exposition Park to the public.

At the Courthouse.

DOESN'T LIKE HER PUBLICITY.

BIG BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT SCHEDULED TODAY.

Miss Armfield, who is suing Prominent San Diego Man for Half Million, and Her Attorneys are Raked Over the Coals by Him. Admits He Married Her.

If a place can be found for it on the calendar, the \$500,000 breach-of-promise suit of Miss Maud Armfield against Bryant H. Howard of San Diego, will be tried in Judge Wilbur's court, starting today. The crowded condition of the calendar yesterday made it necessary for the action to be over.

E. W. Britt, counsel for Mr. Howard, in an affidavit sets up that Miss Armfield for convenience called herself Maud Armfield, and sometimes Maud Armfield. In the original complaint in which she asked \$1,000,000 damages, she stated her father's name was Will H. Armstrong. The complaint was filed March 19, 1914. An amended complaint was filed May 18, 1914, and the defendant filed his answer the same day.

It is alleged that it is wholly immaterial to prove on the part of Miss Armfield that she was at one time married to Mr. Howard. This affidavit stated in his answer to the amended complaint. It is also alleged that Mrs. Maud Armfield, the defendant's mother, has borne the pecuniary burden and charge in the present action, and is a material witness for her son. Miss Armfield and her attorneys are raked over the coals for causing the publication of numerous articles in Los Angeles and San Diego newspapers. The defendant's answer contains sensational, unfair to Mr. Howard, misleading and grossly incorrect with the view of preventing him from obtaining a fair trial and to advertise her as an actress; also for the purpose of harassing him and his mother.

Mr. Howard, in an affidavit, admits he married Miss Armfield at his mother's home July 4, 1909. He expects to prove that she was a woman whom he represented to be her brother, and that another man lost his position with a large house by reason of his alleged relations with her. He denies that he is worth \$3,000,000 and places his fortune at \$600,000. At the time of his marriage he says he was worth only \$200.

JURY LOCKED UP.

CATTLE RUSTLING CASE.

Unable to come to an agreement yesterday in the case of John Casou, the second member of the jury charged with cattle rustling in the Antelope valley, was locked up late last night by Bailiff Blalodell in Judge Wellborn's court.

Joe Rivera was convicted two weeks ago. Casou was in the County Jail and has pleaded guilty to rape.

The arrest of these men, and the trials of Joe Rivera and John Casou, was the big event of Antelope Valley. The ranchers crowded the corridors of the courthouse, excluded as witnesses from the courtroom. The evidence was circumstantial, from the loss of a big black cow with a crumpled horn, and a Jersey heifer from the ranch of Elmer Munz on the night of April 20, 1914, to the finding of what purported to be their hides in Elizabeth Lake, and their carcasses on Joe Rivera's ranch.

There were many other episodes to which witnesses testified. In one of which the name of Harry Burns was dragged in. He is alleged to have sold the beaver to Lancaster butchers. The defense had many witnesses to be called, but the chain of circumstantial evidence, and scores were also called as character witnesses. During John Casou's trial his wife and baby were taken to the chain of circumstantial evidence, and scores were also called as character witnesses. During John Casou's trial his wife and baby were taken to the chain of circumstantial evidence, and scores were also called as character witnesses.

He was represented by Luther Brown, associated with former Judge Pierce, who fought hard to clear his client of the charge. Deputy District Attorney Bell prosecuted the case.

The jury left the courtroom at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, went to lunch and upon their return to the jury-room, asked to see the hides of the animals brought here as exhibits. Later in the afternoon the

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Table Favors

—For Valentine's Day, Lincoln's Birthday and Washington's Birthday; scores of original ideas for each! Comic novelties; also paper flowers made to order. Visit our Art department for suggestions. See the specially decorated tables.

(Hamburger's—Third Floor—Today)

- Valentines; great variety; 1c to 98c.
- Valentine Art Panels; many kinds, 50c.
- Heart and Cupid Stickers—pkg., 10c.
- Red Hearts—all sizes—package, 10c.
- Book of Sweethearts; illustrated, 50c.
- Valentine Table Covers, 25c; Napkins, dz., 5c.
- Lunch Sets, 29c and 58c; Streamers, 10c, 25c.
- Runners, 20c; Shades, 15c; Carnations, dz., 35c.
- Tally and Place Cards at 10c to 45c dozen.

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A relentless blue pencil has brought the prices down during—

Our February Bedding Sale

—Special purchases, discontinued lines and broken lots that we procured at big reductions and pass on to you at equal savings—it's the best news of its kind in Los Angeles in many a day.

\$3.50 White Blankets \$2.25 Pair

—Great warm wool-finished blankets—non-irritating, soft and comfy. No phone or mail orders accepted at this low price.



Comfortables \$9.75

—They were formerly priced \$12.50 and are an ideal combination of lightness and warmth; wool filled; double bed size.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

—So important is this offering of high-grade sheets and pillow cases, and so unusual are the prices, that we suggest early purchasing as quantities are limited.

—Sheets, 54x90-inch torn size, 39c.

—Sheets, 72x90-inch center seam, 49c.

—Sheets, 81x90-inch seamless, 80c.

—Pillow Cases, 45x36-inch torn size, 12 1/2c.

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\$1.50 Feather Pillows, 95c

—The balance of a great underprice purchase. Filled with high-grade flaked hen feathers—absolutely sanitary and odorless, art ticking covered; 3 pounds in weight; size 20x27 in.

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White Crochet Bed Spreads \$2.50

—Six pretty patterns from which to choose—scallop, cut corner or hemmed effect as you prefer—a wonder value at \$2.50.

Blankets at \$8.75

—Fine and soft white, all-wool blankets of a quality that sells dollars higher than \$8.75 full double bed size with colored borders.

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